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## **AMENDMENT**

## Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 26, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.